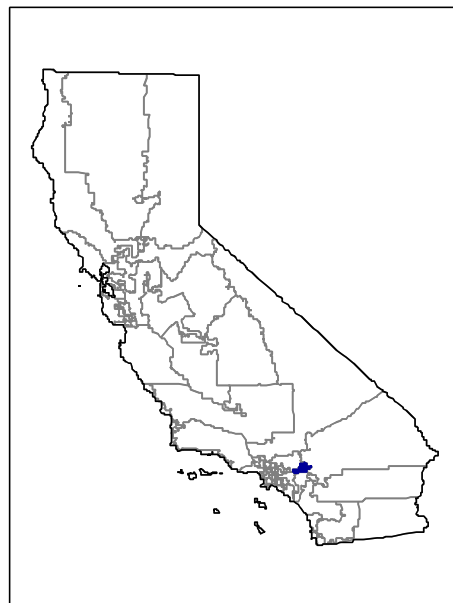




# 2002 Census of Agriculture Congressional District Profile

Correction issued January 2005. See Economic Characteristics table.



## District 43, California

**Number of farms:** 223

**Land in farms:** 17,463 acres

**Average size of farm:** 78 acres

**Irrigated Land:** 2,779 acres

**Total Number of Farm Operators:** 336

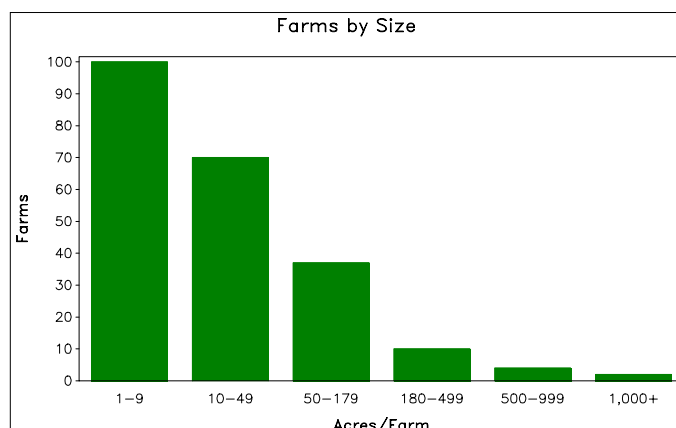
**Market Value of Production:** \$243,456,000

**Market Value of Production, average per farm:** \$1,091,730

**Government Payments:** \$753,000

**Government Payments, average per farm receiving payments:** \$25,956

**Gross Income from Farm Related Sources:** \$1,491,000



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**Ranked items among the 53 congressional districts in the state, and among the 435 congressional districts in the U.S., 2002**

Item	Quantity	State Rank	Universe <sup>1</sup>	U.S. Rank	Universe <sup>1</sup>
<b>MARKET VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD (\$1,000)</b>					
Total value of agricultural products sold	243,456	19	53	186	418
<b>VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000) <sup>2</sup></b>					
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas	-	-	36	-	371
Tobacco	-	-	-	-	106
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	13	-	111
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, and sweet potatoes	4,034	27	48	209	398
Fruits, tree nuts, and berries	3,141	34	52	156	403
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod	17,407	35	52	225	415
Cut Christmas trees and short rotation woody crops	267	10	35	156	349
Poultry and eggs	12,371	14	41	155	382
Cattle and calves	11,500	20	43	222	389
Milk and other dairy products from cows	192,690	6	31	27	339
Hogs and pigs	(D)	(D)	36	(D)	372
Sheep, goats, and their products	105	24	41	250	380
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, and donkeys	58	34	48	360	398
Aquaculture	-	-	27	-	321
<b>TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)</b>					
Layers 20 weeks old and older	555,646	12	42	121	387
Cattle and calves	115,066	12	46	157	394
Hogs and pigs	(D)	4	34	(D)	371
Sheep and lambs	2,366	21	41	195	383
Colonies of bees <sup>3</sup>	(D)	(D)	42	(D)	387
<b>TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)</b>					
All Vegetables harvested	1,190	26	48	237	398
Forage - land used for all hay and haylage, grass silage, and greenchop	698	32	42	354	391
Radishes	(D)	2	21	(D)	177
Watermelons	203	9	29	98	335
Snap beans	(D)	17	36	(D)	353

**Other Congressional District Highlights**

Economic Characteristics	Quantity	Operator Characteristics	Quantity
Farms by value of sales		Principal operators by primary occupation:	
Less than \$1,000	34	Farming	151
\$1,000 to \$2,499	10	Other	72
\$2,500 to \$4,999	12		
\$5,000 to \$9,999	20	Principal operators by sex:	
\$10,000 to \$19,999	11	Male	180
\$20,000 to \$24,999	8	Female	43
\$25,000 to \$39,999	8		
\$40,000 to \$49,999	1	Average age of principal operator (years)	56.1
\$50,000 to \$99,999	6		
\$100,000 to \$249,999	15	All operators <sup>5</sup> by race:	
\$250,000 to \$499,999	9	White	299
\$500,000 or more	89	Black or African American	1
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000) <sup>4</sup>	202,255	American Indian or Alaska Native	4
Average per farm (\$) <sup>4</sup>	760,357	Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	2
Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000)	42,107	Asian	20
Average per farm (\$)	158,296	More than one race	-
		All operators <sup>5</sup> of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino Origin	62

(D) Cannot be disclosed. (Z) Less than half of the unit shown. See "Census of Agriculture, Volume 1, Geographic Area Series" for complete footnotes.

<sup>1</sup> Universe is number of congressional districts in state or U.S. with item.

<sup>2</sup> Categories are not comprehensive and will not sum to total.

<sup>3</sup> Items with a rank that cannot be disclosed are separated by a blank line, position in table does not indicate rank.

<sup>4</sup> Value corrected January 2005.

<sup>5</sup> Data were collected for a maximum of three operators per farm.